

SCHOOL-SPONSORED TRIPS

The Governing Board recognizes that school-sponsored trips are an important component of a student's development and supplement and enrich the classroom learning experience. School-sponsored trips may be conducted in connection with the district's course of study or school-related social, educational, cultural, athletic, school band activities, or other extracurricular or cocurricular activities. A field trip to a foreign country may be permitted to familiarize students with the language, history, geography, natural science, and other studies relative to the district's course of study.

(cf. 6143 - Courses of Study)

(cf. 6145 - Extracurricular and Cocurricular Activities)

(cf. 6145.2 - Athletic Competition)

(cf. 3312.2 - Educational Travel Program Contracts)

The Superintendent or designee shall establish a process for approving a staff member's request to conduct a school-sponsored trip.

(cf. 3530 - Risk Management/Insurance)

(cf. 3541.1 - Transportation for School-Related Trips)

(cf. 5142 - Safety)

(cf. 5143 - Insurance)

(cf. 5144 - Discipline)

(cf. 5144.1 - Suspension and Expulsion/Due Process)

(cf. 1230 - School-Connected Organizations)

(cf. 1321 - Solicitation of Funds from and by Students)

(cf. 1700 - Relations Between Private Industry and the Schools)

Legal Reference: (see next page)

SCHOOL-SPONSORED TRIPS (continued)

Legal Reference:

EDUCATION CODE

- 8760 *Authorization of outdoor science and conservation programs*
- 32040-32044 *First aid equipment: field trips*
- 35330 *Excursions and field trips*
- 35331 *Provision for medical or hospital service for pupils (on field trips)*
- 35332 *Transportation by chartered airline*
- 35350 *Transportation of students*
- 44808 *Liability when pupils not on school property*
- 48908 *Duties of pupils; authority of teachers*

BUSINESS AND PROFESSIONS CODE

- 17540 *Travel promoters*
- 17550-17550.9 *Sellers of travel*
- 17552-17556.5 *Educational travel organizations*

Management Resources:

WEB SITES

- American Red Cross: <http://www.redcross.org>*
- California Association of Directors of Activities: <http://www.cada1.org>*
- U.S. Department of Homeland Security: <http://www.dhs.gov>*